To ensure that self-report measures are user-friendly, developmentally appropriate, and feasible for children and youth, measures should tailor vocabulary, response options, and presentation.

To enhance clarity and usability, child/youth self-report measures often use adapted response formats and design features like:
- Pictorial scales
- Clear labels for response options
- Simplified vocabulary

Moving forward, the Outcome Measures Guideline Form (Law, 2004) will be used to assess the clinimetric properties of the identified measures.

Once the clinical utility of each measure is established, recommendations will be provided to inform the development of the PRIME-C tool.

The knowledge gained from this review will inform the development of the PRIME-C, which will help clients, families, and clinicians at Holland Bloorview monitor and facilitate child and youth treatment engagement, potentially improving intervention outcomes.

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